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: Director of Training

5 February 1953 DATE:

FROM : Chief, Language Services Division, O/TR

SUBJECT: Progress Report for Week of 2 February through 6 February 1953

- 1. A combined total of 157 students is presently enrolled in introductory and self-study courses in the Language Training Center.
- 2. The language laboratory was used for a total of 349 hours, including 71 hours of movies during the week.
- Thirty-nine requests for training students outside the Agency have been given final approval and eighteen requests have been recommended for final approval.
- Chief, Language Services Division, reported personally to Mr. Allen W. Dulles on certain phases of his recent trip.

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- It is expected that the Near and Middle East intensive Arabic program will start at the Institute of Languages and Linguistics on February 16, 1953.
- Chief, Language Services Division, participated in a coordinating conference on lexical inventory project.
- James Q. Reber, Assistant Director, Intelligence Coordination, has received comments from all divisions concerned on mechanical translation which, on the whole, are on the affirmative side. Further coordination is to take place between Mr. Reber's office and G-2 in the near future.

cc: Plans and Policy Staff

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